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WASHINGTON CITY, THURSDAY NIGHT, OCTOBER 30, 1845.

UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND.

FACULTY OF PHYSIC.—SESSION of 1845–'6.—The lectures will commence on Monday, November 3d, and continue until the 1st of March ensuing.

Obstetrics and medical jurisprudence.—RICHARD MAYNOR HALL, M.D.

Chemistry and pharmacy.—WILLIAM E. A. AIKIN, M.D.

Surgery.—NATHAN R. SMITH, M.D.

Therapeutics, materia medica, and hygeine.—SAMUEL CHEW, M.D.

Anatomy and physiology.—JOSEPH ROBY, M.D.

Theory and practice of medicine.—ELISHA BARTON, M.D.

Demonstrator of anatomy.—GEORGE W. MILTENBERGER, M.D.

Instruction in clinical medicine and clinical surgery every day at the Baltimore Infirmary, opposite the Medical College. The rooms for practical anatomy will be opened October 1st, and remain so until the end of March following, under the charge of the demonstrator. Fees for the entire course, including matriculation fee, $5; graduation fee, $20; clinical ticket, free; dissecting ticket, optional with the student. Comfortable board may be obtained in the vicinity of the Medical College for $2 50 to $3 50 per week.

WILLIAM E. A. AIKIN, M.D.,
Dean of the Faculty.

Sept. 10—2awtNov. 1.

LAND AGENCY IN TEXAS.—The subscriber, having, during a residence of nine or ten years in Texas, been connected with the land offices thereof, and having acted as the agent of his friends in the United States, in purchasing, selling, holding, paying taxes upon, and giving a general superintendence to their lands in Texas, respectfully offers his services to such other persons abroad as may wish to engage them.

REFERENCES.

His excellency Anson Jones, General Sam. Houston, General T. J. Rusk, General P. J. Henderson, Colonel James Love, Colonel James Riley, Hon. D. S. Kauffman, Texian chargé d'affaires, Washington city; Matthew St. Clair Clarke, do.; Kingman & Co., do.; General C. F. Mercer, and the Texian consuls abroad.

Many forfeitures are about to accrue, from failure to pay taxes; many claims, otherwise good, will be lost by adverse possession of three years—that being the limitation; many titles of lands conveyed by the United States, cannot be admitted to record in Texas, for want of proper authentication. Owing to some one or other of these causes, the best lands are in a condition to be lost.

Having made it my business to become acquainted with all the laws relating to titles, and being determined to attend diligently to all claims confided to me, I require, in all cases, an advance in cash, sufficient to cover expenses of investigation. When it shall be done, I am willing to take a contingent interest in the lands for attention and services.

ROBERT D. JOHNSON.

Galveston, August 7, 1845.

AGENCY FOR CLAIMS AT WASHINGTON.—The undersigned offers his services as agent for claims upon either of the departments at Congress.

Particular attention will be paid to the settlement of accounts of disbursing officers, who may find it inconvenient to attend personally, especially those who may have. His experience and practical knowledge will afford many facilities.

Charges will be moderate, and regulated by the amount claimed and the extent of service required. Communications (post paid) will receive immediate attention.

CHARLES DE SELDING,
Room No. 11 Todd's Building,
Pennsylvania avenue.

REFERENCES.

Commodore Charles Stewart, U. S. N.
Commodore John Downes, U. S. N.
Stephen Cambreleng, esq., New York.
A. O. Dayton, esq., Fourth Auditor, Treasury Department.
Rev. Septimus Tuston, Chaplain to the Senate.
John C. Rives, esq., Washington, D. C.
John Boyle, esq., "
James Hoban, esq., "
Charles O. Handy, esq., Purser U. S. Navy.
John De Bree, esq., "
R. R. Waldron, esq., "

April 9—tf

TO THE LADIES.

WE have constantly on hand a large supply of the prettiest and best work in our line of business to be found in the city, consisting, in part, of

Fine French morocco Paris ties
Do do kid do do
Do do do slippers
Do do morocco cottage shoe
Do do do walking shoe
Do half, whole, and shoe-gaiters, black and colored.

Also, one of the handsomest assortments of *children's shoes* to be found in any establishment in the street.

Mr. Charles Mann, an experienced cutter, will take measures for those who prefer it, at the same price of store-work. He has now many customers who ask him one of the best fitters they have ever tried. The best materials employed in our shoes, and all sold by us warranted.

W. MANN,
Sign of the large black boot, Pennsylvania avenue, 2 doors east of 4½ street.

Aug. 9

NATIONAL HOTEL, WASHINGTON, D. C.—The proprietor of this fine hotel, formerly known as "Gadsby's" but now generally called "Coleman's Hotel," desires to return thanks to his friends, and the travelling portion of the community generally, for the favors which they have bestowed upon him since he opened his establishment, and to assure them that he will spare no exertions to render his house worthy of the patronage of which he has already received so liberal a share.

The house having been during the summer thoroughly painted and refitted, is now in first-rate order for the reception of travellers or residents; and the proprietor respectfully solicits a continuance of the favors on the part of visiters to Washington, and residents during the session of Congress, being confident that they will always find comfortable lodgings, the best on the table that the market affords, and attentive and polite waiters.

S. S. COLEMAN.

Sept. 19—tf

AGENCY FOR CLAIMS AT WASHINGTON, D. C.—CHARLES DE SELDING, General Agent, No. 11, Todd's buildings, Pennsylvania avenue, Washington, D. C., offers his services to those who may have claims on either of the executive departments, or Congress, or private claims on individuals.

Particular attention paid to the settlement of accounts of disbursing officers who may find it inconvenient to attend personally, especially those of the army.

Also attends as agent for non-resident property owners, collecting rents, procuring pensions, &c.

Charges will be moderate, and regulated by the amount claimed, and the extent of services required. Communications (post paid) will receive immediate attention.

He has the honor to refer to the Navy Department, and the several bureaus connected with it; the Comptroller and Fourth Auditor's offices, the senior pursers in the navy; and also to Hon. S. Cambreleng, New York; Commodore Charles Stewart, Philadelphia; Commodore John Downes, U. S. N.; Hon. Henry L. Ellsworth, Washington; Hon. E. H. Foster, Nashville, Tennessee; and James M. Blount, esq., Pensacola.

April 11

DR. SWAYNE'S COMPOUND SIRUP OF WILD CHERRY,

The great remedy for consumption, colds, coughs, spitting of blood, bronchitis, difficulty of breathing, asthma, pain in the side and breast, whooping-cough, croup, and all diseases of the liver and lungs, broken constitution, &c.

THE above is the original and only genuine preparation from this valuable tree, and has won its way to public favor by its unparalleled success in curing all diseases of the lungs, notwithstanding the many articles prepared by persons who have no knowledge of the science of medicine, in theory or practice; and some, more readily to deceive the unsuspecting, use a part of the name of the original preparation, such as "balsam of wild cherry," "Phœnix balsam of wild cherry," "balsam of wild cherry and camfrey," &c.—all sprung up with a mercenary view, after Dr. Swayne's compound sirup of wild cherry had won a reputation in the healing art never to be forgotten by many a once cheerless fireside. Therefore the public should be on their guard, and purchase none but the original preparation, which is daily performing such astonishing cures in pulmonary complaints, after all remedies had failed, and the patients given up as hopeless. Thousands of certificates might be published, which would astonish credulity itself; but it is deemed unnecessary. Below we publish a few of the names of persons who have been cured by this wonderful remedy:

Robert Glenn, steward of the almshouse near Frankford, testifies to the efficacy of Dr. Swayne's compound sirup of wild cherry, in curing Valentine Chapman, one of the most aggravated cases of diseased lungs which has ever been placed upon record, after every other remedy had failed, and his physician had given him up as incurable.

Mrs. Brown, corner of Second street and Germantown road, Philadelphia, effectually cured of diseased lungs and the symptoms of incipient consumption, by using four bottles of Dr. Swayne's compound sirup of wild cherry.

R. Jackson, D. D., formerly pastor of the first Presbyterian church, New York, testifies to the efficacy of Dr. Swayne's compound sirup of wild cherry, and recommends it to the heads of families, having witnessed its wonderful effect in more than one hundred cases, in relieving children of every obstinate complaint, such as coughing, wheezing, choking of phlegm, asthmatic attacks, &c.

Abraham Skinner, Crawford county, Pennsylvania, cured of a protracted cough, pain in the side and breast, &c., after being reduced to a mere skeleton.

James Osburn, Washington, Pennsylvania, cured of consumption and bleeding of the lungs, after being given up by several eminent physicians, and having used most of the patent medicines.

This medicine, in all cases, gives immediate relief, and is a safe, pleasant, and effectual remedy, and worth a trial from the most skeptical.

☞Prepared only by Dr. Swayne, north corner of Eighth and Race streets, Philadelphia, where all orders must be addressed.

For sale, wholesale and retail, by
ROBERT FARNHAM,
Corner of 11th street and Penn. avenue, agent for Dr. Swayne.

Also by G. M. SOTHORON, Georgetown.
WM. STABLER & BROTHER, Alexandria.
J. P. COOK, No. 76, Baltimore street, Baltimore.
PEYTON JOHNSON, Richmond, Va.

Sept 29—tf

GREATEST WONDER OF THE AGE.

PATENT GALVANIC RING, AND MAGNETIC FLUID.—These wonderful Rings, and the Galvanic Fluid, have created a great sensation throughout Europe, and are attracting crowds to see them, both in New York and Boston. They cure with astonishing rapidity rheumatism, gout, tic-doloreux, fits, cramp, sick headache, indigestion, paralysis, stiff joints, general debility, deficiency of nervous energy, and all nervous disorders. They produce all the beneficial results of the ordinary galvanic battery, or electric and magnetic machines, without the injurious shocks which always accompany their application. The secret of preparing the Ring was discovered by Professor Harmance Christie, of London, in October last, and they have been recently introduced into this country by Dr. A. Christie, who warns the American public, from the beginning, to beware of spurious imitations. To guard against fraud, he will appoint but one agency in each of the cities of the United States.

For sale by the only agent in this city,
O. FISH & CO.,
Nos. 1 and 2, Brown's hotel.

Aug 26—3m

BEALE H. RICHARDSON & CO.,
Dealers in foreign and domestic dry goods,
No. 223, MARKET STREET, BALTIMORE,
Three doors east of Charles;

HAVE now on hand a large and well selected stock of staple and fancy dry goods, as follows:

WOOLLENS.

200 pieces French, English, and American broadcloths, of every color, from common to superfine.
250 pieces new style fancy doeskin, and plain black French, English, and American cassimeres.
A large assortment of black, blue, brown, olive, wave, and gold mixed beaver cloths.
Black, blue, and drab pilot do.
1,000 pieces sattinets, Tweeds, Kentucky jeans, fulled linsey, and kerseys.
500 pieces white, red, and yellow plain and twilled flannels.
500 pairs riband-bound, Whitney, and rose blankets.
Servants do. white and colored counterpanes.
50 pieces fancy plaid cloakings and cloak linings.
Bleached, unbleached, and colored Canton flannels.

VESTINGS.

Silk, satin, fancy, toilette, plain and fancy velvet.
Cashmere, merino, and swansdown vestings.

DRESS GOODS.

Repp Cashmere, Cashmere d'Ecosse, black and fancy-colored alpacas.
French and English bombazines.
Crape de Pekin, Venetian crapes, mousselin de laines, silks, &c.

SHAWLS! SHAWLS!!

Silk, cashmere, mousselin de laine, crape.
Pain and embroidered Thibet, and blanket shawls.

LINENS! LINENS!!

6-4, 8-4, 10-4 and 12-4 Barnsley shirtings.
6-4 and 12-4 cotton do.
Bleached and brown linen table-cloths.
Birdeye, huckaback, and Russia diapers.
Fine and superfine linen cambric handkerchiefs.
White, black, and brown Hollands, Irish linens.

VARIETY.

Silk handkerchiefs; black Italian, and fancy silk cravats.
Silk and worsted serges, paddings, canvas, black lastings, waddings, patent threads, sewing-silk, suspenders, buttons, tapes, hooks and eyes, spool cotton, &c.

HOSIERY AND GLOVES.

1,000 doz. silk, worsted, and cotton hose.
Woollen, Berlin, and kid gloves.

PRINTS AND BLEACHED GOODS.

40 cases new-style fall prints.
30 cases bleached muslins and sheetings.
50 bales 3-4, 7-8, 4-4, and 5-4 brown muslin and sheetings.
20,000 lbs. cotton-yarn, at factory prices.

In addition to the above, we are daily adding large quantities of the most desirable and fashionable goods from auction and private purchases; to which we invite the attention of the trade, assuring all, that we can, and will, sell as cheap as any jobbing house in this or any of the eastern cities.

B. H. RICHARDSON & CO.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 10, 1845.
Sept. 13—tf

ENGLISH BLACK INK.

W. FISCHER, importer of fancy stationery, has just received by the ship Gladiator, direct from the manufacturers, Waldron's inimitable black ink, in quart, pint, and half-pint bottles. As this ink has been in general use a longer period, and more approved of, than any other extant, several imitations of it are in the market. Purchasers can be sure of obtaining the genuine article at Stationers' Hall.

Oct. 7—3taw3w

FRENCH NOTE PAPER AND ENVELOPES of every size and variety—plain, ornamented, and perfumed. Just imported direct from Paris, by

Oct 9 F. TAYLOR

AUCTION GOODS, AUCTION GOODS, AUCTION GOODS!—This morning will be opened, at the Baltimore Cash Store, from the auction sale of Manard & Hutton, importers of French goods, of New York, an extensive assortment of French and other goods, which we name below, viz:

10 pieces of Tartan Plaids for ladies' dresses—all the rage in New York, Philadelphia, and Baltimore
15 pieces Tartan Plaids, silk and wool, for ladies' dresses
20 do new style Cashmere and Muslin
40 do super French, some patterns of entirely different styles from any ever offered before
10 do silk embroidered Cashmere d'Ecosse
50 do super French Merino, of scarce colors
30 do French Bombasin
25 do black Alpacas, of various qualities, part very superior
30 do beautiful style Earlston Ginghams
20 do twilled do do a very desirable article

In Velvets and Silks.

10 pieces plain black and blue-black silks
20 do 20 and 27-inch striped black silks, of beautiful styles
10 do super watered do do
50 do colored silks, of all colors and quality, some very rich and of the newest styles
10 do black and blue-black silk velvets for dresses and mantillas
2 do Mazarin blue silk velvets
2 do moreen do
2 do crimson do
2 do green do
2 do royal purple do

The above velvets compose the best assortment ever offered in this market.

In Scarfs and Shawls.

20 pieces scarlet and red Canton crape shawls, an article very much in demand
20 super camel's-hair Terkeri scarfs, a very fashionable article
20 entirely new style ombre-shaded scarfs
30 12-4 camel's-hair Terkeri shawls, richly printed
30 12-4 do do of colors red, green, yellow, and blue middles
20 12-4 super printed Cashmere
10 13-4 largest size Cashmere Brocha shawls
20 12-4 embroidered Thibet do
50 12-4 plain black, mode, and green Thibet do
20 10-4 rich chameleon silk shawls
30 12-4 rich bullion fringes, plain Terkeri shawls, of colors green, brown, and black
20 12-4 French blanket shawls
10 12-4 embroidered white and scarlet Canton crape shawls

Gloves and Linen-cambric Handkerchiefs.

100 dozen ladies' colored kid Gloves, with elastic wrist and lapels
30 do white and parti-colored do do do
10 do white long kid do do do
10 do half do do do do
20 do colored silk Gloves
10 do black and colored silk Mits
30 do tape-bordered linen-cambric Handkerchiefs
20 do hemstitched do do
30 do Riviere bordered do do
20 do do do do do with ten rows of stitching
5 do embroidered and Riviere bordered linen-cambric Handkerchiefs
1 do super super do. with lace trimming

The handkerchiefs are certainly cheaper than anything we have ever seen. Do call and ask for "the handkerchiefs."

Irish Linens and Diapers.

20 pieces super Irish Linens
30 do do undressed Linens
5 do very fine do for collars and bosoms
25 dozen Table Napkins
10 do super damask Napkins
10 pieces 10-4 Table Diaper
10 do 12-4 damask do
20 do super linen Kenting
20 dozen colored Doileys
30 do do cotton Tablecloths
10 do cloth do

Curtain Goods.

10 pieces striped Muslins, for curtains
10 do embroidered and striped Muslins, for curtains
20 do plain and twilled red Cashmere
30 do damask "oil-colored" do
30 do watered moreens
30 do all colors, damask moreens

Together with many other goods, such as—
10 dozen black worsted and merino Hose
30 do do Cashmere do
100 do cotton Hose, black and white
30 do white silk Hose, ribbed and embroidered
30 do do do do do
10,000 yards Calico, at 12½ cents
5,000 do new style shaded stripes, in imitation of the shaded Cashmere
50 pieces red and white Flannel
10 do super Roger's patent Flannel

And a great many other goods, which, for the want of time, we cannot enumerate. As we are determined this season to sell goods at less profits than heretofore, purchasers will do well to call and examine our stock before they make their purchases.

Oct 28—iftf PITTMAN & PHILLIPS.

NOTICE.—Was committed on the 28th day of July last, to the jail of Harford county, a negro man calling himself John Lemon, as a runaway. Says he is free, and that he was born in York county, Virginia, and was raised in Surry county, and left there in June last. He is five feet eight inches high, straight and well made, though rather slight. Is a good-looking negro—straight nose; has a scar on his left wrist, said to be occasioned by a burn. Had on, when committed, a blue-cloth coat, gray cassinet pants, with black stripes, check shirt, glazed cap. Had a bundle containing a check and a muslin shirt. The owner of the above described negro is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take him away.

HENRY RICHARDSON,
Sheriff of Harford county, Maryland.

Oct. 9—1aw3w

WILL BE OPENED, this morning, at the Baltimore Cash Store—
150 pieces new style mousselines de laine
50 do Cashmere d'Ecosse, to sell at 31¼ to 50 c.
100 do French mousselines de laines
25 do do Cashmere d'Ecosse
30 do do runarounds do
10 do dress patterns of embroidered Cashmere d'Ecosse.

All of the above goods are of the newest styles, received by the last steamers from Europe.

Sept. 23—tf PITTMAN & PHILLIPS.

KNIGHT'S WEEKLY VOLUMES, ENGLISH—For sale singly, or in series, by F. TAYLOR, just received.

Life of Sir Thomas Gresham
Racine, and the French Classical Drama
Statesmen of the time of George III
History of the Dog; by Martin
Cabinet Pictures of English Life; Chaucer
Arabian Tales and Anecdotes; by Lane
Early Italian Painters; by Mrs. Jameson
Biographical History of Philosophy
The Cid, and the Early Poetry of Spain
British Manufactures—Metals
British Manufactures—Chemical
British Manufactures—Textile
Insect Architecture
Biography of British Worthies
Memoirs of a Working-man
The Dutch in the Medway
Curiosities of Physical Geography
The Lost Senses—Blindness
The Lost Senses—Deafness
The Civil Wars of Rome
History of British Commerce.

WOLF'S MISSION TO BOKHARA—Narrative of Mission to Bokhara in the years 1843–1845, to ascertain the fate of Colonel Stoddart and Captain Conolley: By Rev. Joseph Wolf, 1 vol. octavo, many engravings. Just received for sale by F. Taylor, or for circulation among the subscribers to the Waverley Circulating Library.

Also, the illustrated edition of the Wandering Jew, No. 1, with many engravings—executed in France—price 25 cents per number.

Oct. 13

FINE FRENCH CALF BOOTS.—The latest style just received, at the cheap cash store of

W. MANN,
Sign of the *large Black Boot*, Pennsylvania av., two doors west of 4½ street.

July 24

PROPOSALS FOR RATIONS.

HEAD QUARTERS OF THE MARINE CORPS,
QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE,
Washington, October 14, 1845.

SEPARATE PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 10 o'clock, a. m., on Monday, the 17th day of November next, for furnishing rations to the United States marines, at the following stations, for the year 1846, viz:

Portsmouth, New Hampshire;
Charlestown, Massachusetts;
Brooklyn, Long Island, New York;
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania;
Gosport, (near Norfolk,) Virginia;
Pensacola, Florida; and
Washington city, District of Columbia.

Each ration to consist of one pound and a quarter of fresh beef, or three quarters of a pound of mess pork; eighteen ounces of bread or superfine flour—at the option of the government; and at the rate of six pounds of good coffee, twelve pounds of the best New Orleans sugar, eight quarts of the best white beans, four quarts of vinegar, two quarts of salt, four pounds of good hard brown soap, and one and a half pound of good hard dipped tallow candles to each hundred rations.

The beef required shall be delivered on the order of the commanding officer of each station, either in bulk or by the single ration, and shall consist of the best and most choice portions of the carcass; the pork to be No. 1 prime mess pork, and the groceries of the best quality of the kinds named, subject to inspection.

No bid will be entertained unless accompanied by the names of two sureties, responsible for the faithful performance of the contract. To be endorsed, "Proposals for rations for 1846."

AUG. A. NICHOLSON,
Quartermaster Marine Corps.

The American Sentinel and Pennsylvanian, Philadelphia; the Portsmouth Gazette, New Hampshire; the Boston Post, and Boston Times, Boston; the New York Herald, the New York Evening Post, the New York Courier and Enquirer; the Baltimore Republican and Baltimore Sun; the Norfolk Beacon, the Norfolk Herald; the Richmond Enquirer and Richmond Whig; the Alexandria Gazette, Alexandria, D. C.; and the Pensacola Gazette, will give the above three insertions each per week, and send the account accompanied by a printed copy of the advertisement to this office for payment.

Oct 13—eodtd

YOUNG & STEER,
MERCHANT TAILORS,

ARE now prepared to show to their customers and the public a very full and elegant assortment of fall and winter goods, consisting in part of—

French and English cloths (black, blue, and other colors,) for dress coats, frock coats, and cloaks; and beaver, mixed, and other cloths now most fashionable for over-coats, sacks, and office or business coats.

Also, a large stock of cassimeres, both French and English, consisting of plain black and blue, and a great variety of the newest patterns of fancy cassimeres.

Also, an unusually large and varied assortment of vestings, consisting of rich figured and plain velvets, merinos, silks, satins, and Marseilles.

Also, always on hand a great variety of fancy articles and underdress for gentlemen, such as shirts, drawers, and hosiery of all kinds, stocks, gloves, suspenders, scarfs, cravats, collars, bosoms, umbrellas, dressing gowns, &c.

They also have the pleasure to announce that they have engaged the services of one of the most tasteful and fashionable cutters in the District: which fact, in connexion with the splendid assortment of goods above noticed, enables them to promise their customers that all tastes,

"From grave to gay, from lively to severe,"

will be amply gratified.

Sept. 29—3taw1mif

PRICES REDUCED.

THE LADIES of Washington and vicinity are respectfully informed that the subscriber is now prepared to serve them with the very best articles in his line, at the following reduced prices:

Ladies' best gaiter boots, thick sole, at $2 50
Do do do do spring heels, at 2 50
Do do half gaiters, thick soles, at 2 00
Do do do do turns, at 1 75
Do do high buskins, thick sole, stuff top 1 75
Do do do do single do turns 1 50
Do Morocco buskins, thick sole, at 1 25
Do do do spring heels, at 1 25
Do do slippers or ties, at 1 00
Do do French style slips, at 1 25

All other work proportionably low, and warranted inferior to none. The above articles are of my own manufacture, and I am at all times prepared to take measure and execute the work with despatch.

Gentlemen are informed that I am manufacturing all articles in the boot and shoe line, and that no pains will be spared to render entire satisfaction as to style, quality, and price. I have on hand a general assortment of boots and shoes, of all the various kinds and qualities that are always kept in well-regulated shoe establishments.

Ladies and gentlemen, please call at the sign of the golden boot, nearly opposite Brown's Hotel. Examine and judge for yourselves.

W. WHITNEY.

N. B.—Terms, positively cash.

Oct. 1—eo1m

NOTICE.—Will be sold, at the jail of Washington county, D.C., on Friday, the 7th of November, 1845, at 10 o'clock a. m., a negro man, committed as a runaway, who calls himself John Smith. He is a dark mulatto, about 6 feet high, and about 28 or 29 years of age. Had on when committed a striped summer coat and pantaloons, a black fur hat, and has other clothing with him, principally home-made. He says he is a slave, and belongs to a Mr. John Smith, who lives in Henrico county, between Petersburg and Richmond. He has a scar under the left eye, and one on the upper lip, and says that his master's nearest neighbor is Mr. John Richardson.

The owner or owners of the above-described negro-man are hereby requested to come forward, prove him, and take him away, or he will be sold for his prison and other expenses, as the law directs.

ROBT. BALL, Jailer,
for
A. HUNTER, Marshal D. C.

Oct. 7—1awtf.

BULL'S SARSAPARILLA.—This preparation of sarsaparilla is now preferred to all others, and is recommended by all the physicians. It may be had, genuine, by the dozen or single bottle, of

J. F. CALLAN,
Opposite the Post Office.

Sept. 16

SALMAGUNDI, London edition, 1845, with many engravings; price $1 50. Barrow's Memoirs of the Naval Worthies of the Age of Queen Elizabeth; 1 volume, London, 1845. Hayter's Perspective, Practical Geometry, Drawing and Painting, Miniature, Crayon, and Oil Painting, complete in one volume octavo, with many engravings and colored plates; 1 volume, London, 1845. Vulgar and Common Errors, by Thomas Brown Redivivus; 1 volume, London, 1845. Childe Harold, with 60 splendid engravings; 1 beautiful volume, London, 1845. The complete Dramatic Works of Wycherley, Congreve, Vanbrugh, and Farquhar, with biographies and criticisms, by Leigh Hunt; the whole complete in 1 volume octavo, London. Walker's Rhyming Dictionary, the largest and most complete edition; 1 volume of 684 pages, London. Just imported direct from London, by

F. TAYLOR.

Sept. 27

WAVERLEY NOVELS, *cheap series*, published in octavo volumes, at the rate of six novels for 50 cents, or 8 cents for each novel.

Volume second, containing "Heart of Mid Lothian," "Bride of Lammermoor," "Legend of Montrose," "Ivanhoe," "The Monastery," and "The Abbott," is this day received.

June 17 F. TAYLOR.

LAWS OF TEXAS.—Digest of the Laws of Texas, containing a full and complete compilation of the Land Laws, together with the opinions of the Supreme Court. By J. W. Dellam, of Matagorda, Texas; 1 vol. 8vo, 1845.

Just received for sale by

Oct 14 F. TAYLOR.

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July 30.

PROPOSALS FOR AMERICAN WATER RETTED HEMP.

NAVY DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU OF CONSTRUCTION, EQUIPMENT, &c.
4th October, 1845.

SEALED PROPOSALS, endorsed "Proposals for hemp," will be received at this bureau until the 15th December next, for delivering one hundred and fifty tons of *American water-retted hemp*, at such storehouse in each of the cities of Louisville, Kentucky, and St. Louis, in Missouri, as may be designated by the United States hemp agent at those places; the deliveries to be made between the first day of March and the first day of July, 1846, and accompanied by satisfactory evidence that it has been water-retted in the usual manner.

The hemp must be thoroughly dressed, cleaned, free from shivers, and must not lose more than sixteen per cent. of tow and waste when hatchelled, to the satisfaction of the inspectors, ready for spinning. Its strength must be such, that a rope of one and three-fourths of an inch in circumference, made from twenty-one yarns, as prepared and tested by the inspectors, or by their direction, will bear at least four thousand two hundred pounds; and its length, color, and other properties, must be entirely satisfactory to the inspectors, or the chief of this bureau, or it will not be received. It will be inspected and tested at the respective places of delivery.

For the hemp which may pass inspection and be received by the agent, he and the inspector will certify bills (for not less than one thousand dollars, the last bill excepted,) according to the provisions of the contract; ninety per cent. of which to be payable within thirty days after the presentation of the bills to such navy agent as may be agreed upon by the chief of this bureau and the contractors.

Persons offering, must offer for at least thirty tons, and must state the price (written in words at length) asked per ton of 2,240 pounds when delivered, inspected, tested, approved, and received by the agent and inspector, and payable as above specified, and must forward with their offer an obligation, duly executed by two persons of known responsibility, binding themselves for the performance of the offers, if they should be accepted.

Bonds to one-half the amount of the contracts which may be made, with two good and sufficient sureties, will be required for their faithful execution, in addition to a deduction of ten per cent. from all bills which may be approved and paid before the completion of the contracts, which will be retained until they are fully completed, in all respects, according to their terms.

Offers must be made in strict conformity with the terms of this advertisement.

If contracts are not executed within five days after they have been received by the persons whose offers have been accepted, the bureau will consider itself at liberty to offer it to the next lowest responsible bidder.

To be published once a week until 1st December, in the following papers, viz: The Union, Intelligencer, and Constitution, Washington, D. C.;—Statesman, Columbus; Enquirer, Cincinnati, Ohio;—Union, Nashville; Appeal, Memphis; Tennessee Democrat, Columbia, Tennessee;—State Sentinel, Indianapolis; Courier, Madison, Indiana;—Argus, Quincy; St. Clair Banner, Bellville; Democrat, Chicago; Register, Springfield, Illinois;—Missourian, St. Louis; Inquirer, Jefferson city; Platte Eagle, Platte city, Missouri;—Yeoman, Frankfort; Democrat, Louisville; Gazette, Lexington, Kentucky;—Territorial Gazette and Advertiser, Burlington, Iowa;—Courier, Milwaukie, Wisconsin;—Banner Little Rock, Arkansas.

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WINTER & CO., Proprietors.

Flushing, L. I., Oct. 9, 1845.

Orders received by J. F. CALLAN,
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Oct. 14—if2aw3w

CLOTHING! CLOTHING! CLOTHING!

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SO call at William Marshall's wholesale and retail fashionable clothing establishment, where there can always be found one of the largest and handsomest assortments of clothing, at such astonishingly low prices as were never before heard of. I do not pretend to sell at less than cost, as some of the stores advertise; but I will sell about twenty per cent. less than they do who advertise to sell at less than cost, and as low as any house in the United States, North or South. All goods made under my own eye, and by the most experienced workmen.

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WM. MARSHALL,
Between 9th and 10th streets, Penn. avenue,

And at my manufacturing establishment, ten doors east of Coleman's hotel, corner of the alley leading to Walker & Kimmel's livery stable.

Oct. 17—eo6t

TO DENTISTS.

I HAVE to-day received a new supply of porcelain teeth of all sorts and sizes, from the celebrated manufactory of Dr. McGrath, of Philadelphia, which will be sold at his prices. They are very handsome and well shaped. If you want good teeth cheap, call on J. F. CALLAN,
Corner of E and 7th streets.

Sept. 16—tf

BOOKS ADDED RECENTLY TO THE WAVERLEY CIRCULATING LIBRARY—

Ingersoll's History of the Late War; 1 vol. octavo.
Green's Texan Expedition against Mier; 1 vol. octavo. Engravings.
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North American Review for October.
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W. MANN,
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July 24

BLANK BOOKS.—A large supply of every size and kind of blank books just opened from the North; some of them of unusually fine quality and workmanship, and all of them at extremely low prices. F. TAYLOR.

Oct. 8

Post Office advertisement—Mails to Europe, the Gulf of Mexico, and the Pacific.

Under authority given to the Postmaster General of the United States, by act of Congress approved March 3, 1845, "to contract for the transportation of the United States mail between any of the ports of the United States and a port or ports of any foreign power, whenever, in his opinion, the public interests will thereby be promoted," I hereby invite PROPOSALS for carrying the mails of the United States as herein specified, to wit:

1. From New York to Liverpool, in England, and back;
   Or to Bristol, in England, and back;
   Or to Southampton do do.
2. From New York, by Cowes, in England, to Antwerp, in Belgium, and back;
   Or to Bremen, in Germany, and back;
   Or to Hamburg, in Germany, and back.
3. From New York to Havre, in France, and back;
   Or to Brest, in France, and back.
4. From New York to Lisbon, in Portugal, and back.
5. From New York, by Havana, in Cuba, to New Orleans, and back.
6. From New York, by Havana, or by Kingston in Jamaica, to Chagres, in Colombia, and back; with joint or separate offers to extend the transportation to Panama, and up the Pacific, to the mouth of the Columbia, and thence to the principal port in the Sandwich Islands;
   Or from Charleston to the same, and back;
   Or from Pensacola do do do.
   Or from Mobile do do do.
   Or from New Orleans do do do.
7. From New Orleans to Havana, and back; with an offer to extend to Kingston, in the island of Jamaica;
   Or from Mobile to the same, and back;
   Or from Pensacola to the same, and back;
   Or from Charleston to the same, and back, with an offer to supply Key West.

Proposals for commencing said routes at any other United States port on the Atlantic, than as above named, will be considered.

It is intended, out of the foregoing list of routes, to make selection of one to Europe, and one to the Gulf of Mexico and the Pacific, as may best be determined, after proposals for service on all the routes are submitted—not relinquishing, however, the right to place a greater number in operation, if it shall be deemed expedient to do so.

The proposals should specify the number of trips to be performed during the year, and as near as may be, the day of the month on which the vessel conveying the mail is to depart from the port at each end of the route. The department contemplates on route No. 1, a semi-monthly conveyance for eight months of the year, and a monthly conveyance for the residue of the year; on No. 2, a like frequent conveyance; and on No. 3, the same; on No. 4, a monthly conveyance; on No. 5, as frequent a transportation as two or three times a month; on No. 6, a trip once in two months; and on No. 7, twice or three times a month.

The proposals should specify the mode of conveyance, whether by steam-ship or sailing-packet; and set forth the size, rate, and description of the vessel, with sufficient particularity to enable the decision to be made on the advice of the proper officers of the naval service, whether the same is or is not convertible into a ship-of-war. And special notice is hereby given, that, agreeably to the provisions of the act of Congress aforesaid, those proposals (being acceptable in other respects) will be preferred, which shall engage to carry the mail in a *steam* ship or ships, and shall stipulate to deliver said ship or ships to the United States, or to their proper officer, on demand made, for the purpose of being converted into a vessel or vessels of war; the United States being bound, on their part, to pay the fair full value thereof at the time of delivery, to be ascertained by four appraisers, appoint